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In re Application of: Michael G. Wyllie

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3); and 1.98, Applicant's agent wishes to draw the Examiner's attention to PTO-FB-A820 which lists the reference cited by the applicant, a copy of which is enclosed.

A first office action on the merits has not been received; therefore, no fee for this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is required. In the event that an office action has been mailed, please charge the appropriate fee to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

The Examiner is requested to consider carefully the complete text of the reference in connection with the examination of the above-identified application in accord with 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(a). It is believed the Examiner will concur with applicant's belief that the subject matter presently claimed is neither anticipated nor rendered obvious by the foregoing reference. Please note that the publication date of the reference is after the effective filing date of the above-identified patent application.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to indicate his or her consideration of the foregoing item by initialing, signing, and dating the accompanying PTO-FB-A820 and then returning a copy of the same to the undersigned. It is requested that the reference listed on the attached form PTO-FB-A820 be included in the "References Cited" portion of any patent issuing from this application (M.P.E.P. § 1302.12).

A prompt and favorable response is earnestly solicited.

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